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**Update for Vital Records Fees Rules (9 A.A.C. Chapter 19, Article 4)**

A.R.S. § 36-341(A) states that “The state registrar shall establish by rule the fees, if any, to be charged for searches, copies of registered certificates, certified copies of registered certificates, amending registered certificates and correcting certificates that are processed by the department.”

The current rules are being amended to increase fees collected for searches, copies of registered certificates, certified copies of registered certificates, amending registered certificates, and correcting certificates.

To keep interested persons informed about the rulemaking, the Department has established a website for the rulemaking. Draft rules have been posted on the Department’s website. The informal public comment period will end on August 29, 2008. The Department anticipates filing a Notice of Proposed Rulemaking by September, 2008.

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